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ERDC ASSISTS LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS

The Engineer Research and Development Center (ERDC) recently assisted local law enforcement officers in Vicksburg, Miss., in their Night Out Crime Watch program.

The ERDC Geotechnical Laboratory loaned a Bradley military vehicle to the Vicksburg Police Department for use in their promotion. The program was designed to raise crime awareness in the community. The Bradley was parked at one of the busiest intersections in Vicksburg where approximately 25,000 vehicles pass on a daily basis.

During the week-long program, Officer Doug Arp lived in the Bradley and was available to talk about crime prevention. Officer Arp has promoted the program in unique and creative ways for the past several years. In previous years, he has lived in a wrecked vehicle, on a billboard and in a wading pool at a local shopping mall.



CPT Harold Lopez, ERDC Environmental Laboratory, visits with Officer Doug Arp, Vicksburg Police Department.

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